

NEWS ITEMS OF QUEENSTOWN AND DISTRICT

Queenstown, Alta., May 22—The heavy rain, estimated to total half an inch, fell in the Sheldrake-Queenstown-Milo district yesterday evening and last night. The rain was accompanied in the early stages by a severe electrical storm, but damage has been reported. Owing to the heavy rain the football game scheduled to be played today on the local grounds between Banquo and Queenstown had to be postponed. While there is a good supply of moisture in the fields the rain was welcomed by the farmers, and increases the likelihood of a good crop. Residents of the district claim that crop looks better than they have at this stage in many years. A feeling of optimism is prevalent everywhere.

A repair crew was in town, and repaired the cupola of the Pioneer Elevator last week.

Mrs. O. H. O'Neil is under the doctor's care. Her many friends hope for her early recovery.

Miss Agnes Rubelke rendered a beautiful solo, "My Tent," at the United Church service on May 15th.

Miss Gladys Phillips has returned to Milo, and is back behind the counter in Thompson's general store.

Miss Edith Milly left for Maple Creek, Saskatchewan, today after a visit of a month with Mrs. Wm. Brown sons and daughter.

The Queenstown baseball team won a game at Arrowwood, last Wednesday evening. McLeod pitched for Arrowwood, C. Boll for Queenstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Burke's small daughter, Helen, underwent an operation for the removal of her tonsils. Dr. Burke, of Vink, was the surgeon.

Mrs. Bishop, of Medicine Hat, a daughter of Mrs. Wm. Brown, arrived on Friday last for a visit with her mother and other members of the family at the Brown ranch close to Queenstown.

An enjoyable bridge party took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Macomber recently. Miss Edith Milly won the ladies' prize, a biscuit jar, and R. L. Campbell the men's prize, a miniature clock.

Mrs. R. C. Asselin and Mrs. W. F. Durston entertained at a "Silver Tea" on behalf of the Women's Institute in Mrs. Asselin's home recently. They realized over \$8.00 from the affair and this sum is donated to the funds of the Institute.

The rifle draws were made locally the same day recently, and Robert Lang was the lucky winner of a mark to measure out from McLeod's store. While Mrs. O. H. O'Neil won the Congoleum Golf Ball that was to be displayed in the window of Sloan & Burke's hardware store.

Mr. J. G. Brown, who was pastor of the Queenstown-Milo United Churches last year, recently returned to occupy the position during the summer months of 1932. He was warmly welcomed on his return by the many friends he made last summer.

The next meeting of the Women's Institute is to be held June 1st at the home of Mrs. A. N. Blum. At this meeting the members who attended last fall in the winter are putting on a social wedding for the entertainment of the members and visitors, and a large attendance is expected to witness this attraction.

Two airplanes, a Waco with a V-8 Curtiss motor and a Gypsy Moth with a 4-cylinder air-cooled motor, landed in the field east of town late Wednesday afternoon. Quite a large number of Queenstown people became aviation enthusiasts after taking a

BAD WEATHER POSTPONES ANNUAL SPORTS

For two years in succession the weather has caused the calling off of the kippers they sports in Queshien last year the wind and dust caused the committee to cancel the events called to take place. This year the threatening rain and the cold wind put the knockout blow to the sports called for the afternoon. The cold weather did not dampen the enthusiasm of the soft ball club. At three o'clock the ball batters started a tournament with four teams entered. The Maple Leafs and Roughriders played the first game which was won by the former after playing ten innings. The second game between the Outlaws and the Battery resulted in a victory for the Outlaws. In the final game the Maple Leafs carried off the championship by defeating the Outlaws.

This evening a very successful dance was held in the Community hall by the Agricultural Association with a social feature by a large crowd. All of whom seemed to thoroughly enjoy themselves.

DOINGS OF THE BALL BABIES

The different softball clubs have ordered uniforms in which to bodice themselves. They are dressed in white with red dots and it pays to always look your best. Of course, the uniforms are not the best, but the majority of the players hope to dazzle the local girls with their finery. The uniforms will be of a non-tearable kind, in dark shades. The non-tearable trousers will eliminate entirely the possibility of any one duplicating the stunt of Don McManis. Dan as all are no doubt aware, while playing a badly contested game last summer, left half his Sunday trousers on the diamond. The trousers will be very nifty and will have all the colors of the rainbow. Last Wednesday evening the Roughriders' Mackintosh tangled in a snappy softball game, when twelve innings had to be played to break the tie of 8-8. In the last of the 12th Cliff Kilcup snaked into home plate for Meadowbrook and the game ended, 9-8.

Owing to the rain on Thursday evening the Outlaws and Maple Leafs postponed their game until Friday evening. Both teams displayed splendid hitting. The Maple Leafs got a chance to get started. In the seventh inning the Maple Leafs made five runs and in the 9th the Outlaws made another count, so the game ended 7-5 for the Outlaws.

Monday evening the Battery defeated Meadowbrook in a splendid exhibition of ball, score being 4-2. The game was played in record time lasting less than an hour. The youngsters were out in force, and many of them went up at the low rates of \$1.00 per game. The Battery had plans for Milo on Thursday morning.

Crops are looking very good in the Milo and Arrowwood districts. The characteristic Western optimism everyone is looking for a bumper crop this year. The crops are looking better than they have been in years, and showers are coming quite frequently. Very little soil drifting has occurred and no damage to crops has occurred as yet from this season. Grass is springing up with surprising speed and gardens are growing rapidly.

A basketball match has been arranged in the school grounds, and it is being well considered these days. There seems no reason why a team could be put together here and there at least provide some sport and pleasure for the participants as well as a means of raising money for the Milo school.

The popular game, Arrowwood High School vs. Milo, was played on Wednesday and the outcome between the two fast teams was a win for the Arrowwood. The close score of 5-4. Quite a number were down from Queenstown to see the game.

News Items of Local Interest

We now know why Bob Haskayne is so popular with the ladies. He is presenting them with presents to transplant in their gardens. Great news to him him ladies about flowers.

Don't forget July 10th. This is the date of the Athletic Club's first annual sports day. It will be a hum-dinger.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Saville announced the arrival of a baby boy at their farm home Sunday morning, May 22nd.

The power was off for a while Monday morning. Monday being wash day the ladies went up in the air, as reported to the back yards and carried on an animated conversation, over the fence, with their neighbors. Meantime in the industrial end, where a death like stillness settled over each manufacturing plant. The managers presented joyously on their way.

The Game Branch of the Department of Agriculture are offering several hundred dollars in prizes for the destruction of gophers, weasels and muskrats. Cash prizes as provided for shall be awarded for the destruction of gophers (expressing), weasels and muskrats, and eggs of muskrats. For each acre or more of land cleared of gophers, weasels and muskrats, the farmer will be allowed \$1.00 for each acre of a crew or more. For each acre of a crew or more, four points shall be allowed. (broken eggs) fly to be counted. For each gopher killed one point. For each muskrat killed one point. For each muskrat egg killed one point. For each muskrat egg killed one point. For each muskrat egg killed one point.

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John Wannamaker made millions as a retail merchant. Of newspaper advertisements he said: "What time are hard and people are not buying is the very time that advertising should be heaviest. You want to get people to see what you have to sell and you must advertise to do that. When times are good they will come largely of their own accord, but I believe in advertising in the lean, never stop advertising."

In numerous instances life has become so attractive on the farm that it is difficult to get boys to leave it to the city.

An event of interest took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Moss when in the presence of a few friends, relatives, Chas. E. E. and Keith the two sons of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Frank, of Medicine Hat, were baptised. The sponsors were Miss Alvina Moss and Mr. J. Moss. Rev. J. R. Davies officiated.

We wonder why W. Pineau sowed his lawn and flower beds last year. It is only worth like a bushel—hard offered.

"Could you give a poor fellow a lift?" asked a man who had been tramped to a Gleichen housewife. "I don't believe," answered the hostess of the house, "but I'll call the dog."

SOFTBALL LEAGUE STANDINGS

Team	W	L	P
Battery	2	1	4
Roughriders	2	1	4
Meadowbrook	1	2	5
Outlaws	1	2	5
Maple Leafs	0	2	0

Mr. A. Ingraham and daughter Verma of Arrowwood, left last week, by motor to visit relatives in Nova Scotia.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Warner announced the birth of a son on Monday, May 23rd.

J. A. Wright and son Brown were visitors to Gleichen on the 24th. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. R. Stakobak and family who spent the day visiting relatives in Arrowwood and Gleichen.

Mrs. Brown formerly of Gleichen now of Calgary, spent a day visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. Stakobak.

Miss E. Flock of Calgary, spent the weekend visiting at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Koofed.

Miss Alvina Moss returned home from Calgary Saturday accompanied by Miss E. Flock of Calgary to spend the 24th.

Cecil Lyons and Miss Jean and Betty Crawford of Calgary spent the 24th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Thompson.

A minister in a Pacific Coast has declined the offer of a parishianer to become a set of bells, claiming that "no are now out of date. Well-planned newspaper advertising, he said, will draw more people to church than any chiming, and at the same time will not disturb the slumbers of those who choose to rest."

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CURB THE WORRY HABIT

How often we hear the expression "Why worry? Well, indeed, why worry?" No good results come out of worry. It kills sleep, impairs the appetite, and dulls the nerve centre of the brain. The service is "on edge" and is not family with him.

It is what makes such a mental attitude narrow and general about things because the emotions affect the heart to a great extent. That the most important organ of the body suffers the worrying habit saps the vitality. It is one of a great deal of unhealthiness.

Of course, some worries are justifiable. But the petty worries of life, the small and general annoyances, everyone can control the number of years of his life. Your life depends very much upon the condition of your heart.

It helps immensely to keep cheerful; to keep a mild and pleasant about things as they come along. Why not take both success and adversity with equanimity? By learning to control the emotions, years are added to your life, and better health as well. It is the way to success.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH SERVICES

Holy Communion 9:00 a.m.
Sunday School 11:00 a.m.
Evening 7:30 p.m.

GLEICHEN SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA TO ENTERTAIN

Once again the Gleichen Symphony orchestra, which for several years has failed to entertain the public with their concerts, but has on many occasions volunteered their assistance at evening of orchestral entertainment on May 27th, in the Oddfellows hall. Those who have previously attended concerts arranged by this organization are sure to appreciate the talent in store. The admission charges will be very reasonable and anyone supporting this valuable asset to community life should never regret doing so. It is anticipated that at the close of the musical programme possibly a short time of dancing may also be enjoyed, if it should be the wish of those present.

Many community members are interested both young and old are incorporated in the Gleichen Symphony orchestra and are enjoying the wholesome and educational benefits of the many practices calling up to the concert, as they are given the opportunity. While there are no great outstanding talents available, the accomplishments are arrived at under the able leadership of Mr. James Edgar, who for many years has served in this capacity, so no one else locally could. Those who have been appreciative in the past of the music often heard should attend the Gleichen Symphony Orchestra on Friday, May 27th.

ONLY SYMPATHY? A lonely young husband and wife in New Jersey, confronted with the task of putting away a roomful of books, have been swamped with messages in the past few days. Battered, thousands upon thousands have sent their messages of sympathy.

But are the citizens of the United States going to stop with mere sympathy? If they do genuine feeling, let it be translated into effective efforts to prevent recurrence of such things. Everyone who pays tribute to racketeering, gambling, vice, bootlegging helps to foster conditions which make it possible for the Lindbergh kidnappers. And chief among sufferers of crime are those who buy illicit liquor. Essentially it is those who encourage the selling of intoxicants and not the anti-prohibitionists alone, the laws against such sales—who are the authors of bootlegging.

The fact is becoming more and more apparent that the so-called better people who have been pouring gold into the bootlegger's bag have been doing something more than merely raising a false alarm. They have been having contributory—unintentionally, perhaps—to the flooding of lawless lawless in financial organized vice and crime; they have been party to the bribery of officials and the corrupting of the law. Money is the life-blood of crime. Without it the gang cannot survive. Are the citizens of the United States determined to free home and government from the threat of crime? Then let them at least make a start. Let them at once withdraw from crime that money of gold which has been freely passed to bootleggers.

If the patrons of the bootlegger give up a million dollars for even thirty days, what an expression of useful sympathy they would offer to these world-wide parents. What a memorial to the child!

Many references at gatherings in Canada and the United States are made to the "4,000 miles of undefended boundary" between the two countries. As a matter of fact the boundary between the two countries, which 5,100 miles is the boundary and 2,400 miles is water boundary. The last boundary is the Rocky Mountains and a vista cut through the woods in all forest covered areas; the water boundary is identified by 2,500 references across.

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THIRD DAY—Afternoon—The Garay Sisters of Budapest and Florence. Evening—Prelude: Musical—The Garay Sisters. Lecture—"Altitudes and Visibility"—Judd Geo. D. Alden.
FOURTH DAY—Afternoon—The Marionettes. Evening—"Merely May Ann"—a comedy in four acts.

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Balanced Budgets

The news is flashed around the world that Great Britain which, only a few months ago, was in dire financial straits, has balanced its budget. It was accomplished by the adoption of rigid economies on the one hand, and the imposition of heavier taxation on the other hand.

The United States with a current deficit of over two billions of dollars, is engaged in the task of trying to find a way to balance its budget. Here too, the imposition of new and heavier taxation is being considered as the only way out, with economies in administration receiving less attention than in Great Britain.

The Government of Canada, and the Governments of the various Provinces of Canada, are all engaged in the same work—trying to balance their budgets and the same remedies are being applied, reductions in services to the people coupled with heavier taxation levies.

All municipal bodies and boards of school trustees are likewise employed, but, in the case of these minor governing bodies, more effort is being applied in the reduction of expenditures, and less recourse is being had to the imposition of new taxes; in fact, most municipal councils and schoolboards are striving to reduce taxation.

But what of the individual citizen? He is in the same predicament as governments. He is confronted with greatly decreased income, or none at all, as a result of unemployment or failure of his business to produce the revenue formerly forthcoming and to which he and his family have been accustomed. But the individual does not possess the power to tax, and in these present days he cannot develop new sources of income. If, therefore, he is to balance his budget, and thus avoid bankruptcy, there is only one thing he can do,—that is, cut expenditures. Most people have already done so, some to the extreme limit that it is possible to go, others not quite so far. And the ability of the individual citizen to keep within his income is being made more and more difficult by reason of the steadily increasing taxes, which constitute a first charge upon his income.

Out of these financial difficulties, at least one good is developing. The individual citizen, who as a taxpayer is the final source of supply for all governments, is beginning to take a keener, more intelligent interest in the administration of his business by all governmental bodies. When times were fairly prosperous and taxes comparatively light,—at least in his more prosperous circumstances he was able to meet them without much trouble,—the average citizen gave little heed to where governmental policies and expenditures were leading. He kept on demanding more and more in the way of public services without fully realizing that, in the final analysis, he must pay for them. Now he finds that he must do the paying, and, further, that he must do without some of the services to which he has become accustomed, because he and his fellow taxpayers can no longer afford to maintain them.

Whatever may be said for or against the Russian experiment in government, at least this can be said for it, that in no country in the world, perhaps, have the masses of the people developed quite as alert an interest in their government, its policies, methods and acts. Every Russian today is almost forced to take an interest in the national policies and work of his government. He is being made to realize that he is a cog in that machine, small it may be, but important, and he must do his part.

If, as the outcome of the attempt to balance budgets throughout Canada, and elsewhere, people become more government-minded, more watchful of what their governments are doing, and, at election times, less easily swayed by appeals to petty local interests, racial prejudices and religious passions, then there will be great gain to the country as a result of the bitter experiences we are now undergoing. If the lesson is learned, and taken to heart, that as citizen-tax paying-voters we should apply that same hard business sense to making our decisions at the ballot box that we make in the ordinary everyday business transactions in which we engage, if, in a word, we balance our judgments as citizens and electors, as well as our budgets, then a great future and, it is to be hoped, lasting gain will result from our present difficulties and financial embarrassments.

Must Be Canadian Made

The Moose Jaw Collegiate Board decided that in future all chalk and other supplies be purchased from firms handling "Made in Canada" goods. This motion was put by J. E. Chisholm. His inquiry revealed that the chalk used at the present time was made in the United States.

Production of Italy's silk mills in 1931 was valued at \$79,000,000.

Rapid Growth

Two men met in the village, and after a few minutes conversation, one remarked: "Have you heard about Mr. Smith? Is it true?" "I don't know," replied the other, "but I do know this, if ye set a feather away at one end of the village it'll be a feather bed before it gets to the other!"

Germany is boosting its auto taxes.

Selected Difficult Work

Blind Man Is Successful Commercial Traveller In Australia

Of all the work possible for a blind person surely that of a commercial traveller has most difficulties.

Yet news comes from Australia of a man who, though he lost his sight at the age of four, now travels to every town in Western Australia as the representative of a large firm in Perth.

Before taking on this work Mr. Harold Ackland passed the matriculation at 19, and won a University Arts degree at 23. The Braille Society paid his fees, and its members made up for the lack of text books by copying out for him by hand, pages and pages in Braille, and also reading and dictating to him.

Mr. Ackland hoped to take up Law, but this was not possible, and he started his present work. Now he is known to every railway official on the line, has a cheery greeting for them all, and is one of the happiest and busiest men in Western Australia.

Mothers can easily know when their children are troubled with worms, and they lose no time in applying a reliable remedy—Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator.

Ruling On School Books

School Readers In Saskatchewan To Be Provided To School Districts

School readers in Saskatchewan in the next term will be provided to the school districts through the government offices in Regina, and will become the property of the school districts, and not of the pupils as customary in the past. This move may reduce the costs of new readers as high as a quarter, it was said following a meeting of the Educational Council of Saskatchewan.

Where parents object to their children using a reader previously in use by some other child, they will have the option of purchasing readers for their own children, according to the decision of the council.

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Care Of Canada's Veterans

Cost To the Country Is In the Neighborhood Of \$55,000,000 Annually

Care of Canada's veterans of the Great War costs this country in the neighborhood of \$55,000,000 annually, of which the largest item is the \$49,000,000 paid out in war pensions. Relief to unemployed war pensioners, grants to veterans whom advancing years and sicknesses, not directly attributable to war service have removed from the labor market, and other expenditures connected with the care and examination of pension applicants and ex-soldier patients raise the amounts spent as a direct result of the war to the \$55,000,000 mark.

Pension payments are graduated, first in respect of disability, and second in respect of the former rank of the pensioner. Consideration is also had for the married or unmarried state of the pensioner. For example, a private soldier, married, with two dependent children and awarded a pension for 100 per cent. disability, receives \$127.00 a month. This amount is made up as to \$75 for the disability, \$25 for the wife, \$15 for the first child, \$12 for the second. An additional \$10 a month is paid for each additional dependent child.

This scale is stationary up to the rank of lieutenant, from then on, it is graduated higher.

Prominent Military Man Dead

General John Hughes Dies At Bowmanville, Ont., At Advanced Age

General John Hughes, long a prominent figure in military and agricultural circles, and son of an illustrious family, died at Bowmanville, Ont., recently, aged 82. His health had been failing for more than a year.

Brother of the late Sir Sam Hughes and Gen. W. St. Pierre Hughes, deceased saw valorous service with the Midland battalion in the Northwest Rebellion of 1885. He was present at the operations against the hardy band of Chief Big Bear, and was mentioned in despatches, being awarded a medal with clasp. Later he rose to the command of the 48th regiment.

General Hughes was appointed to command the Sixth Infantry Brigade in March, 1906. Two years later he was transferred to the command of the Fourth Brigade, Second Infantry Division.

In honor of his long connection with Canadian militia he was elected president of the Infantry Association of the Third Division in 1911.

General Hughes found time in later life to take a leading part in the agricultural, educational and commercial affairs of the community where he resided.

Treasure Trove

Party On Cocos Island Expect To Locate Fabulous Wealth

With 10 burly Costa Rican soldiers as guards a group of Pacific Northwest treasure hunters are on Cocos Island attempting to locate supposedly fabulous wealth buried there by buccaneers and pirate chieftains.

The party consists of 24 men, headed by Col. J. E. Leckie of Vancouver.

Information of the group's activities was received here by Ralph Lomen, president of the company which owns the "Silverwave," a small vessel used by the party in its voyage to the island, 300 miles west of Costa Rica.

The letter from Captain Eldred Tansen, skipper of the "Silverwave," said the Costa Rican soldiers were sent to see that their government gets a fair division of any treasure found, said to be one-third.

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Passing the Buck

"I see Miss Smithers that you have spelled 'receive' with 'ei' in one place and 'ie' in another."

"I'm sorry, sir. One of them was a slip."

"Well, correct it."

"Certainly, sir. By the way, which one shall I correct?"

"M'm—er—why, the one that is wrong of course."

Soaring prices in gasoline have caused motorists in Malaya to seek low fuel-consumption models.

Wages of building craftsmen and laborers in England have been reduced one cent an hour.

South America's cement production has increased 200 per cent. in five years.

Control Of Radium

Senator King In Favor Of Government Taking Over Product From Great Bear Lakes

Support for the proposal of General A. D. McRae that the Dominion Government control the radium to be extracted from the pitchblende discovered at Great Bear Lake, was urged by Senator J. H. King, former Minister of Health, speaking in the senate. Dr. King gave a comprehensive review of the treatment of cancer and the progress made in the various countries. European countries, he said, were the first to recognize the value of radium treatment for cancer.

Canada had to secure not only more radium but educated operators. The radium treatment had progressed more rapidly in the United States than in Canada, but in that country, owing to state control of health, central control was impossible. There had been no serious radium accidents reported in Canada, but the point was reached when government control for the protection of patients and operators was necessary.

Senator King then reviewed the work in each province and found that Quebec was far in advance of the other provinces. Quebec was the only province to have talked seriously the problem of radium treatment of cancer. The Saskatchewan Government had established radium clinics and purchased radium for use therein. All the provinces were doing some work and the Ontario Government had a very exhaustive report of the use of radium in Europe and the United States from a commission presided over by Canon H. J. Cody.

Dr. King was in favor of General McRae's proposal for Dominion Government control of radium ore. He favored a departmental committee of officials from mines, health, and research branches, to consider this question, or, failing this, a committee of these with prominent citizens associated. This committee could take enough radium to supply the provinces with sufficient, free of charge, when competent application was assured. He would also recommend they extract an amount of radium sufficient to supply the Empire and other nations on the same assurance at cost of production and distribution.

Coal From Wales

Reported That Anthracite Coal Will Be Shipped To Churchill

Thousands of tons of Welsh anthracite coal will be shipped through Churchill this summer, and will be laid down in Winnipeg at \$9.50 a ton, if plans of a Montreal syndicate go through. The success of this venture would mean a serious blow to the coal industry in Alberta. The coal will come into the northern port in every ship that comes from Europe. It will be taken instead of ballast. The federal government has made no provision for handling any imports by way of Churchill other than coal, and thus if the ships do not bring coal, they will bring rock which will have to be dropped into the bay.

The Montreal men expect they can make a profit of nearly 75 cents on a ton. The favorable rates that are expected on the Hudson Bay Railway line will enable the British product to come on the Canadian market only a few dollars higher than it costs in Wales. Efforts are being made to secure a market for the coal from the Dominion Government for the work at Churchill and for use on the Hudson Bay Railway.

Two big users of the coal in all probability will be the Hudson Bay Mining and Smelting Company at Flin Flon and the Sheritt-Gordon mines at Sherridon. Both these mining companies have to import their coal from Alberta with the consequent high freight cost.

Last summer the two boats that came to carry the wheat to England brought in hundreds of tons of coal, the first important imports over the Bay route. The Imperial Oil Company has purchased a site at Winnipeg, and it is freely reported they will construct a plant there, to serve the prairie provinces next season.

Fast Service On Bay Route

Service over the Hudson Bay Railway will be speeded up for this summer. A new schedule cuts between three and four hours off the time it has hitherto taken to make the 510 mile journey between The Pas and Churchill, new port on Hudson Bay.

Drs. Charles E. Bills and Francis G. McDonald, of Evansville, Ind., report they have successfully manufactured a vitamin—vitamin "D"—in a chemical laboratory.

Safety blades for electric fans have been demonstrated.

Reductions In Ocean Travel

Cunard and Anchor Lines Announce Low Rates To Europe

The Cunard and Anchor Lines announce drastic reductions in rates for travel to Europe effective immediately. The reductions will be made in all classes of travel from First Class to Third Class. A reduction of 20 per cent. will be made on all First Class, Cabin and Tourist Class rates to Europe. In Third Class, the rates which are already extremely low, have been further reduced by 10 per cent. The reductions will apply to all services of the Cunard and Anchor Lines between the United States, Canada and Europe and to all their ships, including the three Express Liners, "Beren-garia," "Aquitania," and "Mauretania."

In addition, the usual "Summer Season" increase has been dispensed with, the new low rates applying all year around. Thus, in effect passengers will be paying as much as 40% less than previously in the summer season. Some idea of the size of these reductions may be obtained from a comparison of the new minimum rates for various classes and steamers. The "Aquitania" and "Beren-garia" formerly \$275. First Class in the summer season is reduced to \$200. The "Mauretania" formerly \$258 is now \$188. Cabin rates for such steamers as the "Frankonia" and "Carinthia," formerly \$155 to England and \$160 to France, are down to \$124 to England and \$129 to France. For the "Laconia," "Scythia," "Samaria," the rates are now \$122 to British ports and \$127 to France.

Cabin steamers of "A" type, such as the "Aurania," "Alaunia," and "Ascania," formerly \$135 to England and \$140 to France, now take a rate of \$108 one way, and \$200 round trip to England, and \$113 one way, and \$210 round trip to France.

Tourist Class rates in the "Aquitania" and "Beren-garia," formerly \$122.50 to England, and \$132.50 to France, are now \$98 to England, and \$108 to France one way, and \$173 to England, and \$178 to France round trip. Tourist rates in cabin steamers are as low as \$84 to England.

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Memorial Scholarship

M. E. Manning Of University Of Alberta Will Go To Geneva

Award of the Elizabeth Imrie Memorial Scholarship to M. E. Manning, student at the University of Alberta, has been announced by Dr. R. C. Wallace, president of the university. The scholarship will permit Manning to spend the coming summer at the Geneva School of International Studies, and later in attendance at the assembly of the League of Nations as an observer.

It is given by Mr. and Mrs. John M. Imrie in order that a student may have the opportunity to study international political and economic affairs at first hand. The student selected has one more year to study before graduation in law. He is western vice-president of the Canadian Federation of University Students.

Plans Are Blocked

The bill to establish the Waterton-Glacier International Park on the border between Montana and Alberta to stand as a symbol of peace between Canada and the United States, has been temporarily blocked by groups interested in establishing an international peace garden in North Dakota on Turtle Mountain.

Mergers have hit the crossroads. In Big Pine, Calif., a large sign announces: "Permanent Waving and Fish worms."

Artist—A thousand wouldn't buy this picture!
Onlooker—Well, I'm one of the thousand.

Czecho-Slovakia's "Ford" of shoe manufacturers will invade Poland.

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"Really, I think BABY'S OWN TABLETS are wonderful," writes Mrs. Allan P. Macdonald, Northfield, Ont. "My baby has no more colic pains."

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Protest Bacon Prices

U.F.O. To Present Programme To Imperial Conference

The United Farmers of Ontario will draft a programme for presentation by Hon. Mr. Weir, Dominion Minister of Agriculture, to the Imperial Conference, dealing with matters that are of special interest to the farming community. The U.F.O. as large manufacturers of butter, will seek some assistance in the exportation of their product which has won a place second to none in the dairy world and at prices that will stand a lot of competition.

The U.F.O. has seven factories in Ontario which the organization owns. And two in which they have a substantial interest. The output of these plants is approximately 7,500,000 pounds a year, and of this total over 1,000,000 pounds is made at the Toronto plant.

Some protest will be made against the fluctuation in bacon prices while the price for live hogs remains the same and at the bottom. This has aroused suspicion in the minds of the United Farmers that the packers have a hand in the manipulation of prices on the British market. Some assistance will be asked by livestock men for the export of Ontario hogs to Great Britain which will relieve the Ontario farmer from the independence of the Ontario packing plants.

In the matter of grain shipments farmers are not so much concerned, but with livestock and dairy product it is different. Ontario hopes to have the assistance of the United Farmers of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, in their efforts to secure better conditions for the export of pork products, livestock, cheese and butter.

Boost Fishing Industry

Found That Halibut Liver Oil Can Take the Place Of Cod Liver Oil

Halibut fishermen of British Columbia are benefiting by the research of two large laboratories in the United States which have discovered that halibut liver oil is as high in vitamin content as cod liver oil, it is stated. As a result, two prominent pharmaceutical firms are manufacturing halibut liver oil from Pacific coast halibut. Each 10,000 pound catch of halibut brings nearly \$250 additional revenue to fishermen, an amount gratefully received in these days of low fish prices.

Canada's Poultry Wealth

A report recently issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics estimates the number and value of farm poultry throughout Canada for the year 1931 as follows:

Kind	Number	Value
Hens and chickens	61,572,000	\$26,908,000
Turkeys	2,232,000	4,198,000
Geese	904,000	1,385,000
Ducks	760,000	617,000

Air Express Over Alps

The first air express from Croydon, England, to the aerodrome at Cannes, France, has just been inaugurated. It brings the Riviera within seven hours of London, instead of 36 hours by boat and train. The journey includes a flight over the Alps.

Don't be without Douglas' Egyptian Liniment. Keep it always handy. Relieves toothache, neuralgia, sore throat, quinsy, and croup. Invaluable for burns, sores, Barber's Itch and Ringworm.

Tests of scientists have suggested the theory that sleep is a form of intoxication.

Barcelona, Spain, is wrestling with a serious housing problem.

Sharp Pains In His Heart Nerves In Bad Condition

Mr. Fred J. Chase, Thomson Station, N.S., writes:—"I have used Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills with wonderful results. My heart would beat so fast I would have to sit down when at work chopping in the woods. I had sharp pains in my heart when I would lie down at night. My nerves were also in a very bad condition, but after using two boxes of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills I feel just fine, and am fourteen pounds heavier than I have been for years."



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Too Sick for School

Mrs. Dow Says Dr. Williams' Pink Pills Restored Daughter to Health.

Never
Misses Day
From School.

"My daughter was run down in health, took weak spells and could not go to school," writes Mrs. Asa Dow, Fort Dan-iel West, Quebec. "While visiting her aunt, a friend told her about a little girl in similar condition who had been completely restored to health by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. My daughter has since been taking the Pills, and they have certainly made her stronger. She has lost that tired, sluggish feeling and has never missed one day's school since September. The Pills also gave her a good appetite; her nerves are better and she has more pep. I recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to mothers of daughters with similar troubles." "Don't let anaemia rob your growing daughter of health and vigor. Give her Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They are no temporary relief. They banish the condition by creating new blood which imparts health, vigor and vitality. Equally good for all run down or nervous conditions. At your druggist's, 50c. 274

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CHAPTER XIX.—Continued.

"The skunk!" muttered Nick wrathfully.

"What's that?"
Claire drew suddenly closer to him, her face blanching. A sound—the light crunching of gravel beneath a footstep—had come to her strained ears.

"Nick! Did you hear?" she breathed.
A look of keen anxiety overspread his face. For himself, he did not care; Adrian Latimer could not hurt him. But Claire—his "golden narcissus"—what might he not inflict on her as punishment if he discovered them together?

The next moment it was all he could do to repress a shout of relief. The steps had quickened, rounded the corner of the alley, and revealed — Jean.

"We're mighty glad to see you," remarked Nick, as she joined them. "We thought you were—the devil himself!"—with a grin.

"Oh, he's safe for half an hour yet," Jean reassured them. "I asked Tucker—the Latimer's butler, who worshipped the ground Claire walked on—and his solicitor is still with him. Otherwise I wouldn't have risked looking for you!"—smiling. "I knew Nick was over here, and Sir Adrian might have followed me."

"You're sure he hasn't?" asked Claire nervously. "He is so cunning—so stealthy."

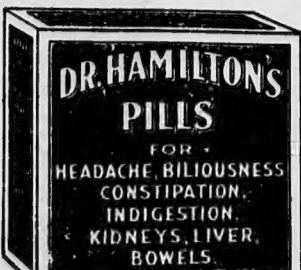
"Even if he had, you're doing nothing wrong," maintained Jean stoutly. "Everything I do is wrong—in his eyes," returned Claire bitterly. "That's what makes the misery of it. If I were really wicked, really unfaithful, I should feel I deserved anything I got. But it's enough if I'm just happy for a few minutes with a friend for him to want to punish me, to—to suspect me of any evil. Sometimes I feel as if I couldn't bear it any longer!"

She flung out her arms in a piteous gesture of abandonment. There was something infinitely touching and forlorn about her as she stood there, as though appealing against the hideous injustice of it all, and, with a little cry Jean caught her outstretched hands and drew her into her embrace, folding her closely in her warm young arms.

Nick had turned aside abruptly, his face rather white, his mouth working. His powerlessness to help the woman he loved had maddened him.

Meanwhile Jean was crooning little, inarticulate, caressing sounds above Claire's bowed head, until at last the latter raised a rather white face from her shoulder and smiled the small, plucky smile with which she usually managed to confront outrageous fortune.

"Thank you so much," she said with a glint of humour in her tones. "You've been dears, both of you. It's awfully nice to—to let go, sometimes. But I'm quite all right again, now."



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"Then, if you are," replied Jean cheerfully, "perhaps you can bear up against the shock of too much joy. We want you to have 'a day out.'" "A day out?" repeated Claire. "What do you mean?"

"I mean we're organizing a picnic to Dartmoor, and we want to fix it so that you can come too. Didn't you tell me that Sir Adrian was going to be away one day this week? Going away, and not returning till the next day?"

Claire nodded, her eyes dancing with excitement.

"Yes—oh, yes! He has to go up to London on business."

"Then that's the day we'll choose. Heaven send it be fine!"—plausibly.

"Oh, how I'd love it!" exclaimed Claire. "I haven't been on the Moor for such a long time."

"And I've never been there at all," supplemented Jean.

"Nick! Nick!" Claire turned to him excitedly. "Did you know of this plan? And why didn't you tell me about it before?"

He looked at her, a slow smile curving his lips.

"Why, I never thought of it," he admitted. "You see—explanatorily—when I'm with you, I can't think of anything else."

"Nick, I won't have you making barefaced love to a married woman under my very nose," protested Jean equably. And the shadow of tragedy that had lowered above them a few minutes earlier broke into a spray of cheery fun and banter.

"You seem very gay today."

The cold, sneering tones fell suddenly across the gay exchange of jokes and laughter that ensued, and the trio looked up to see the tall, lean, black-clad figure of Sir Adrian standing at the end of the path, awaiting their approach.

To Jean, as to Claire, occurred the analogy of a malevolent spider on the watch. Even the man's physical appearance seemed in some way to convey an unpleasant suggestion of resemblance—his long, thin, sharply-jointed arms and legs, his putty-coloured face, a livid mask lit only by a pair of snapping, venomous black eyes, half hidden between pouted lids that were hardly more than hanging folds of wrinkled skin, his long-lipped, predatory mouth with its slow, malicious smile. Jean repressed a little shudder of disgust as she responded to his sneering comment.

"We are—quite gay, Sir Adrian. It's a fine day, for one thing, and the sun's shining, and we're young. What more do we want?"

"What more, indeed? Except"—bowing mockingly—"the beauty with which a good Providence has already endowed you. You are a lucky woman, Miss Peterson; your cup is full. My wife is not, perhaps"—regarding her appraisingly—"quite so beneficently dowered by Providence, so it he paused, and as the black, pinpoint eyes beneath the flabby lids detected the slight stiffening of Claire's slender figure, his long, thin lips widened into a sardonic smile.

"Yes, to the brim," he repeated with satisfaction. "That's a husband's duty, isn't it, Mr. Brennan?"—addressing Nick with startling suddenness.

"You should know better than I, Sir Adrian," retorted Nick, "seeing that you have experience of matrimony, while I have none."

"But you have hopes—aspirations, isn't it so?" pursued Latimer suavely. There was an undercurrent of disagreeable suggestion in his tones.

Nick was acutely conscious that his keenest aspiration at the moment was to knock the creature down and jump on him.

"We must find you a wife, eh, Claire? Eh, Miss Peterson?" continued Sir Adrian, rubbing the palm of one bony hand slowly up and down over the back of the other. "I'm sure, Claire, you would like to see so—intimate—a friend as M. Brennan happily married, wouldn't you?"

"I should like to see him happy," answered Claire with tight lips.

"Just so—just so," agreed her husband in a queer cackling tone as though inwardly amused. "Well, get him a wife, my dear. You are such friends that you should know precisely the type of woman which appeals to him."

He nodded and turned to go, gliding away with an odd shuffling gait, and muttering to himself as he went: "Precisely the type—precisely."

As he disappeared from view down one of the branching paths of the shrubbery, an odious little laugh, half chuckle, half snigger, came to the ears of the three listeners.

Claire's face set itself in lines that made her look years older than her age.

"You'd better go," she whispered unevenly. "We shan't be able to talk any more now that he knows you are here. He'll be hovering round—somewhere."

Jean nodded.

"Yes, we'd better be going. Come along, Nick. And let us know, Claire"

as soon as you have found out for certain what day he goes away. You can telephone down to us, can't you?"

"Yes, I'll ring up when he's out of the house some time," she answered. "Or send a message. Anyway, I'll manage to let you know somehow. Oh!"—stretching out her arms ecstatically—"Imagine a day of utter freedom! A whole day!"
(To Be Continued.)

Delay Branch Line Construction

Parliament To Be Asked To Extend the Time To August 31, 1934

Parliament will be asked to extend the time from August 31, 1932, to August 31, 1934, for construction and completion of a number of proposed Canadian National Railway branch lines. R. J. Manion, Minister of Railways and Canals, will introduce a bill in the House of Commons to this effect.

The list of branch lines to be covered by the measure is:

From near Unity to near the provincial boundary in townships 36 and 37, in Saskatchewan.

From Neidpath to a point on the Canadian Pacific Railway near Swift Current, in Saskatchewan.

From near Central Butte or Mawer to townships 18 or 19, ranges 10, 11 or 12, west of the third meridian, in Saskatchewan.

From Ridgedale, Saskatchewan, 30 miles toward The Pas, in Manitoba.

From St. Walburg, Saskatchewan, to Bonnyville, in Alberta.

From near Bulwark to townships 38 or 39, range eight west of the 4th meridian, in Alberta.

From the Dundas subdivision, near Brantford, to a point on the Dunnville subdivision, near Gainsville, in Ontario.

From Hemaruka to Scapa, in Alberta.

From New Westminster to a point on Lulu Island in British Columbia with branches therefrom.

From a point on the Sudbury branch to a point in the Township of Fairbank, in Ontario.

From Sunnybrae to Guysborough, in Nova Scotia.

From near Swift Creek to a point near Tete Jaune, in British Columbia.

Allies Of Doctors

High Temperatures From Fever Protect Body Against Disease

Fever, once viewed with alarm, now are listed among the physician's allies by Dr. Robert A. Reimann, of the University of Minnesota.

Dr. Reimann told delegates to the sixteenth annual meeting of the American College of Physicians the change from the nineteenth century to the twentieth century attitude toward fevers followed much careful experimentation.

High body temperatures were revealed by these experiments, he explained, as a protection against attacks by disease organisms.

The reason he gave in substance: Fever changes the chemistry of the plasma, or body fluids, in blood and tissue. The change increases the viscosity of these fluids, makes them more thick and sticky and increases their power to gather the disease organisms in motionless clumps. Thus bactericidal distribution is restricted.

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Milk Does It

Children Of Public Schools In Britain Are Healthier Than Those Of 30 Years Ago

Children are leaving British schools today healthier and fitter than the children of 20 years ago, Sir Donald MacLean, president of the Board of Education, told the House of Commons.

On the other hand, said Sir Donald, employers were complaining of the physique of many young men.

Nearly 1,000,000 children in the elementary schools are receiving at least one glass of milk a day through the school.

Japan expects to develop an annual production of 1,000,000 tons of steel in Manchuria.



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Canada To Be Envied

Much Better Off In Every Way Than United States

The city of Detroit has reached the same position as Chicago, Philadelphia and New York in finding itself unable to obtain enough money to pay municipal employees and carry on public services.

This is but one indication of the rapid descent of the United States from unequalled prosperity to unprecedented economic depression.

No such condition prevails in any of the large Canadian cities, yet New York bankers insist on holding the Canadian dollar at a severe discount. There is proportionately less gold in Canada than there is in the U.S., but it is a fact that there is also proportionately much less unemployment.

Approximately one-sixtieth of the population in Toronto must receive its food at present by means of a House of Industry line-up. But that is far from being as bad as the situation in a Chicago suburb where daily long lines form up at a city dump in search of food.

Discover Small Fortune

R.C. Family On Relief Learn Of Bank Balance Long Forgotten

Members of a local family who have been very hard-pressed financially, and dependent on unemployment relief, found an old bank book in a garret trunk. They were advised by a friend to forward it to the bank on the chance that there might be a little balance.

Recently they were advised by the Bank of Commerce branch at Nanaimo that there was \$1,290 standing to the credit of one of the elder members of the family who had forgotten about the account.

Britain's Income Tax

One of the amazing features of the British statement is that which discloses the sum which Britons paid in income tax. It amounts to well over \$1,000,000,000. One billion dollars for forty million people! Canada's taxes are high. But last year the total of taxation taken from the British people exceeded \$3,500,000,000.

A pliable rubberized material, resembling leather but not greatly affected by moisture, has entered the field as a competitor of leather.

American internal combustion engines are being used on farms in Latvia.

Be natural, borrowed garments seldom fit well.

Huge Irrigation Project Is Nearing Completion

Millions Of Barren Acres In India Turned Into Fertile Land

One of the most extensive contributions to the world's agricultural area will be effected early this summer when 3,750,000 acres of barren land in northwest India will become highly productive through completion of that country's greatest irrigation project.

The project is known as the Lloyd Barrage, named after Lord Lloyd, Governor of Bombay from 1918 to 1922.

A surface of 7,500,000 acres is served by the Lloyd Barrage, officially opened January 12 this year. Water is expected to start flowing shortly through the 6,400 miles of canal which constitute the barrage.

According to recent issue of the Foreign Crops and Markets from five to six million acres will be cultivated annually, an area considerably greater than all of the present cultivated land of Egypt and almost 30 per cent. greater than the total irrigated land in the United States.

Agricultural crops and practices will be greatly supplemented and to a large extent supplanted. Wheat, cotton, rice, oilseeds and native grains will likely be cultivated in the new area.

The province of Sind, which forms the northernmost section of the Bombay presidency, and in which the Lloyd Barrage is located, consists largely of the lower valley and delta of the great Indus River, which rises in the Himalaya Mountains.

Summer and winter crop rotation, practiced but little in Sind, will be undertaken in a large extent while livestock breeding and dairy investigations have been receiving consideration.

Construction of a dam and irrigation system was first mentioned in 1847, and has been the subject of considerable discussion from time to time since.

Under British irrigation efforts during the past century, close to \$600,000,000 has been spent on projects covering 34,000,000 acres.

The Prospector's Mecca

Radium Attracting Many To Great Bear Lake Area

Onslaught of prospectors, with all the aid of science, has started in the Great Bear Lake district of the North West Territories to gather from its bosom of the north a wealth of radium, silver, copper and possibly gold. Radium is the big objective of the mining parties, but silver, reported to be found in large quantities, is taking high place in the prize list.

Spread out on the fringe of the Arctic Circle, where long winter nights are turning to lengthy summer days, Great Bear Lake is the Mecca of the 1932 prospectors of Canada and from points south of the international boundary. It lies slightly over a thousand miles northwest of Edmonton, and a good 800 miles beyond the end of the steel at Waterways, Alberta—as the crow flies.

The short springtime of the north is dawning to wipe away the desolate tinge of the northland's winter. With the beginning of the merry month of May, the real dawn of the prospectors' short period of opportunity breaks. It swings into full stride in June and terminates abruptly about the end of September when once again the howling blizzards of the Arctic will sweep out of the North Pole region.

Before the gales of 1932 find birth, prospectors, singly and in large parties, will have traversed most of the seven or eight hundred miles around Harbor Bay, Echo Bay, Labine Point, Conjuror Bay, and Hunter Bay. They will have pitted their wits against nature to grab as much of the hidden wealth as possible in the brief period around Fort Norman and along the shores of the three great wide arms of the northern lakes.

This Mecca of prospectors lies in the true north. Echo Bay is situated in latitude 60 point 12 north and longitude 117 point 30 west, or within 50 miles of the great Arctic Circle.

In the fifth century, B.C., Greek doctors began to teach healthy living, and some of the wealthy people gave almost their entire time to diet, exercise and other care of their bodies.

An automatic cocktail mixer has been developed in England. By operating a dial and inserting a coin in a slot the mixed drink is chilled and drained into a container.

A chain of movie houses in Austria proposes to give seven-cent matinees.

Non-Stop Flight Across Canada

Vancouver Sun To Sponsor Flight From Montreal To Vancouver

The Vancouver Sun has announced that it is sponsoring a projected non-stop flight across Canada from Montreal to Vancouver on June 21 next by two Vancouver aviators, R. E. Storer and B. R. Ronald. Refueling contacts are planned at Winnipeg and Calgary.

If successful the flight would be the first non-stop across Canada and the first attempt at refuelling in the air for a long-distance hop in the Dominion.

Storer and Ronald plan to leave Vancouver early in May and fly to Montreal by easy stages.

They expect to leave Montreal at 3 o'clock in the morning of June 21, taking advantage of the long daylight hours, to make the flight from dawn to dusk. Flying westward with the sun they hope to make the distance in 21 hours and land here around 6 o'clock in the evening, Pacific Standard Time.

An additional advantage in flying westward is in avoiding the necessity of taking off at sea level with a heavy load of gasoline to make the long climb over the Rockies.

The air-line distance from Montreal to Vancouver is 2,300 miles. The first stage to Winnipeg is 1,100 miles, where the first refuelling would be made around 11 a.m. The next stage, Winnipeg to Calgary, should be completed late in the afternoon, with a final refuelling for the hop over the Rockies.

The stated purpose of the flight is "to demonstrate the practicability of a 24-hour mail service across the Dominion."

The plane to be used is a taper-wing Waco, three-place bi-plane, powered with a 220 horse-power Wright Whirlwind nine-cylinder radial engine with a cruising speed of 125 miles per hour. Extra gasoline tanks are being added to the plane. It will be named "The Vancouver Sun."

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Town & District

The Call welcomes all items of interest for the town and district columns. If you have friends visiting you, let us have their names.

Most of the Gleichen public school teachers are spending the holidays at their various homes.

Great numbers of the tickets in aid of the covered rink are being disposed of every day.

Bridge and Whist drive in aid of the rink at Mrs. McConnell's home Wednesday, June 1st, admission 25c. Hostess Mrs. Farquharson, Miss I. Gabriel, Mrs. McConnell. Everybody welcome.

An extensive search for drought resistant wheats is being made by the University of Alberta. (This is the first attempt made in Canada to develop an intensive plant breeding program with drought resistance as its primary objective. And yet the losses from drought in the prairie provinces have been very great. Dr. O. S. Aamodt, of the University of Alberta gave a report covering the University's plans for overcoming the drought damage in wheat. In 1928, the University received a number of Russian wheat varieties which were developed for growing in areas with limited precipitation. A breeding program is being carried on in order to combine high quality with the drought resistance of these varieties.

Mrs. Jas. Egles and son Teddie left early Monday morning for England where she will visit relatives for several months. This is the first time Mrs. Egles has been home for over twelve years.

Local residents have been for the past week "admiring" the charming yellow carpet of dandelion that Mother Nature has spread over the property and streets of this fair town. For several years now this carpet of dandelions has been constantly enlarging until now it is time that some active step was taken to remove it. Pretty as it looks, its beauty is "only skin-deep" for the dandelion has a stubborn will to live and a nature so vicious that no plant can long hope to survive as its neighbor.

Publicity is a newspaper's stock in trade, and it is to the individual's and to the community's interest just as much as to the interest of the newspaper itself to see that a newspaper is adequately recompensed for publicity matters, because if a newspaper is properly supported, it is able to render broader and more effective service to the community.

A general appeal for attendance and support at a dance sponsored to the people of Gleichen. This particular event is sponsored in order to cover expenses incurred in by the Gleichen Board of Trade some time early in June, is being made connection with tree planting both on the avenues and streets in Gleichen as well as on the park at the lake site.

The trees received this year from the C.P.R. nurseries at Brooks have been particularly well formed and well grown. Some 50 ash trees of considerable height have been planted on the north end of the Gleichen artificial lake according to a plan laid out by the Provincial Government Town Planning expert, Mr. Seymour. It is the intention of the Town of Gleichen in co-operation with the Board of Trade to strictly adhere to this plan and although it would be impossible to compete the same within a few years nevertheless should it even take 10 years the same will be carried out. With the various drive-ways projected in this plan and the diversification of tree species outlined by Mr. Seymour the result should be a wonderful park with suitable accommodation for parking space, drives and walks.

Canada's Parliament relents having exempted judges and military officers from the bill reducing civil service salaries 10 per cent. In answer to criticism, a new bill imposes a 10 per cent income tax on judges and officers, both of the military and the mounted police. The lieutenant-governors of provinces are the only ones on the Canadian Government pay roll who have not been curtailed. The Governor-General, Lord Bessborough, showed what he thought of public salary reductions—gave himself one.

Hold it, please! In the early days of photography, it is said, it took fifteen minutes to take a picture. After all, one can't blame Ma and Pa too much for those funny expressions on the old-time portraits when they had to spend a quarter of an hour looking for the birdie.

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Rev. V. M. Gilbert, Minister.
11:00 a.m. Church School.
7:30 p.m. Worship.

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When W. G. (Billy) Chester, of Winnipeg, retired after twenty-five years service as general chairman of the Canadian Pacific section of the Order of Railway Conductors, something of the character that had won him the esteem of not only the men for whom he acted as chief spokesman, but of the company with which he negotiated was revealed by Grant Hall, senior vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, when he said:



W. G. CHESTER

"I have been associated with Mr. Chester for many years. Never once has he broken his word. We often differed in our views, but I always knew that when he told me something, he at least was sincerely convinced that it was right."

Speak to the conductors whom he represented so well for a quarter of a century and one learns that "Billy" Chester was "a square shooter" than which in the ranks of his kind there is no prouder title. Chester is sparing of words and always has been. Throughout his career as head of his order he has maintained the balance of a keen loyalty both to his men and to the Canadian Pacific Railway, with a realization that discipline was as important for the protection of the former as the latter. He knew how to be firm when what he thought were the rights of his men were at stake, without creating ill-feeling in the minds of company officials with whom he might be negotiating.

This is what Chester himself has to say of these relationships: "My relations with the members of the organization and with the general officers of the company have been most friendly and satisfactory and the boys on the road have always given me a fair break. I have had the same treatment from the company's officials. I have tried to reciprocate."

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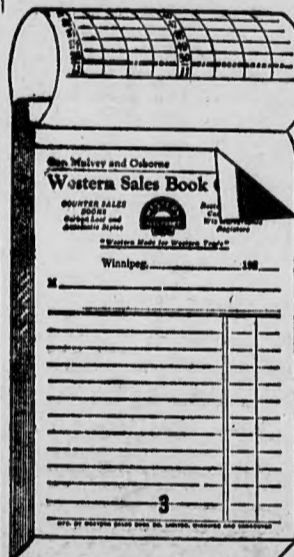
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